

ONLY THREE ARRIVALS TODAY

RECEIPTS OF FRESH FISH SHOWED
FALLING OFF THIS
MORNING.

There were three arrivals of fresh fish this morning, two draggers and a shore trawler. Heavy weather kept the gill netters in yesterday, and none of the smaller boats were out either trawling or dragging.

Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Boat Capt. Drum, dragging, 800 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat 915 C., trawling, 5000 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Josephine and Mary, dragging, 4000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Jackie B., gill netting, 5000 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Ethel B. Penny, shore.
Sch. Progress, shore.
Boat Lincoln, via Boston.
Sch. Pilgrim, via Boston.

On the Railways.

Sch. Progress is on Burnham's railways.

Sailed.

Sch. Thomaston, shore.
Sch. Aloma, shore.
Sch. Amelia M. Pereira, dragging.
Sch. Mildred Silva, dragging.
Sch. Laura Goulart, haddock.
Sch. Grand Marshal, haddock.
Sch. Louise E. Marshall, shore.
Sch. Elizabeth and Ruth, dragging.
Sch. Corinthian, dragging.

ONLY EIGHT AT BOSTON TODAY

RECEIPTS ARE UNDER 300,000 LBS.
—DEMAND GOOD AND PRICES HIGHER.

A fleet of eight vessels furnished the supply for the dealers at the Boston fish pier this morning. Receipts aggregated 250,000 pounds of groundfish, 31,000 pounds of flounders and 10,700 pounds of mixed fish. The market was stronger and all prices moved up. Haddock sold at \$5.50; large cod, \$5 to \$6; market cod, \$3 to \$4.

Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Sch. John Mantia, 12,000 haddock, 1500 cod, 3700 mixed fish.
Sch. Pauline M. Bolland, 8000 haddock, 4000 mixed fish.
Sch. Vagabond, 23,000 haddock, 4000 cod, 3000 mixed fish.
Sch. Mary E. O'Hara, 13,000 haddock, 9000 cod, 12,000 hake, 9000 cusk.
Sch. Eleanor Nickerson, 60,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 2000 cusk.
Sch. Shamrock, 57,000 haddock, 23,000 cod, 3500 cusk, 13,000 flounders.
Boat Dorothy M., 18,000 flounders.
Sch. Stranger.
Haddock, \$5.50 per cwt.; large cod, \$5 to \$6; market cod, \$3 to \$4; hake, \$4 to \$4.50; pollock, \$2 to \$3; cusk, \$3 to \$3.50; gray sole, 8 to 9 cents per lb.; black backs, 3 cents; yellow tails, 2 cents; dabs, 1 1-2 cents; redfish, 1 cent; catfish, 3 cents.

FEAR MAINE BROTHERS LOST

Hope last night was fast fading for two Portland brothers, Egan Matsen, 24 and Karl Matsen, 28, of 174 Franklin street, adrift at sea in their disabled motor boat since last Thursday, when their fishing gear broke away and despite the threatening weather they remained out in an attempt to salvage it.

Victims of the intense cold off shore and the high seas, it is believed the two men will perish unless they are found within the next few hours.

The Matsens left port early Thursday in an open 35-foot motor craft, and were engaged in fishing about 15 miles off shore Thursday afternoon. Other fishermen, returning late in the day, reported they had lost their fishing gear and were staying behind to retrieve it, and some time after this they were reported drifting at the mercy of the seas eight miles south of Old Anthony buoy.

Alarmed at their failure to return home Thursday evening members of their family made an appeal to the Coast Guard to search for them, and word of their plight was flashed from one station to another, the cutters Ossipee and Mojave joining other craft in the hunt.

LOTS OF FISH AT HUB TODAY

THIRTY-THREE VESSELS HAVE
MORE THAN 1,250,000
POUNDS.

There were 33 vessels in the fleet at the Boston fish pier when trading was resumed this morning. Fares aggregated 982,000 pounds of groundfish and 300,000 pounds of mixed fish. Steamer fares were larger.

The market remained good. Haddock opened at \$4.50 to \$5; large cod, \$8, and markets, \$4 to \$5.

Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Str. Sea Hawk, 32,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 20,000 mixed fish.
Str. Swell, 17,000 haddock, 2100 cod, 5500 mixed fish.
Str. Breeze, 52,000 haddock, 7000 cod, 8000 mixed fish.
Str. Notre Dame, 95,000 haddock, 3500 cod, 15,000 mixed fish.
Str. Holy Cross, 60,000 haddock, 13,600 cod, 17,000 mixed fish.
Str. Trimount, 64,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 8500 mixed fish.
Str. Shawmut, 72,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 6600 mixed fish.
Str. Patrick J. O'Hara, 45,000 haddock, 6500 cod, 10,000 mixed fish.
Str. Fish Hawk, 42,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 32,000 mixed fish.
Str. Harvard, 42,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 25,000 mixed fish.
Str. Lois M. Winslow, 60,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 42,000 mixed fish.
Str. Sea Hawk, 32,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 16,000 hake.
Sch. Colleen, 18,000 haddock, 1500 cod, 6500 mixed fish.
Sch. Edith C. Rose, 14,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2300 mixed fish.
Boat Bettina, 32,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 9000 mixed fish.
Sch. Olive M. Williams, 17,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 11,000 mixed fish.
Sch. Leretha, 27,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2300 mixed fish.
Sch. R. Eugene Ashley, 13,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2300 mixed fish.
Sch. Rita B., 33,000 haddock, 2500 cod, 5000 mixed fish.
Sch. Vasco da Gama, 40,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 3000 mixed fish.
Sch. Irene and Helen, 12,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 3100 mixed fish.
Boat Mao IV., 4000 haddock, 8000 mixed fish.
Sch. Killarney, 12,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 11,000 hake, 9000 cusk.
Sch. Ethel B. Penny, 4000 haddock, 3000 mixed fish.
Boat Mayo First, 7500 mixed fish.
Boat Mayflower, 12,000 mixed fish.
Boat Roma, 3200 mixed fish.
Boat Two Pals, 10,000 mixed fish.
Boat Charles Fauci III., 6000 mixed fish.
Boat North Star, 12,500 mixed fish.
Boat Sam and Priscilla, 2000 mixed fish.
Boat Eva II., 6000 mixed fish.
Boat Gyda, 6000 mixed fish.
Haddock, \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt.; scrod, \$3; large cod, \$8; market cod, \$4 to \$5; hake, \$3.75; cusk, \$3.50; gray sole, 9 to 9.50 cents per pound; lemon sole, 10 cents; black backs, 8 cents; yellow tails, 3 cents; dabs, 2 1/2 cents; redfish, 1 cent; catfish, 3 1/2 cents.

RECEIPTS AT HUB 4,556,700 POUNDS

Receipts at the Boston fish pier for the week ending January 9 were 4,556,700 pounds. There were 137 arrivals. In the corresponding week of 1929 there were 85 arrivals and receipts of 525,400 pounds of fresh fish. From January 1 to date there have been 176 arrivals with 5,370,800 pounds as compared with 134 arrivals and receipts of 2,202,450 pounds in the same period of 1929.

The weather has been unusually mild for this season of the year and owing to a large number of arrivals, groundfish have been in good supply from the fleet. Arrivals, however, have had moderate catches and still report fish scarce.

Last week, large cod sold to wholesale dealers at from 4 to 7 cents; market cod, 3 to 5 cents; haddock, 4 to 7 cents; pollock, 2 to 3 cents; hake, 3 to 1-2 and cusk, 3 to 4.

In the corresponding week last year, the operations of the fleet were very light owing to heavy winds and large cod brought 9 to 13 cents; markets, 5 to 7 cents; haddock, 6 to 10, pollock, 5 to 6 1-2 cents; hake, 3 to 6; and cusk, 3 to 6.

Frozen Smelts Light.

Frozen smelts are in light supply, and advices from Canada report that the catch of these fish to date has been light. Last arrivals sold to wholesale dealers at 30 cents per pound for extras, 22 cents for large.

WEEK OPENS WITH FEW FARES

TODAY'S RECEIPTS WERE LANDED BY THE SHORE DRAGGERS AND TRAWLERS.

The week here opened quietly as far as fresh fish arrivals were concerned. The majority of the boats hugged port Saturday and yesterday on account of the weather, and gill netters cut yesterday to pick up their gear, nearly all returned to port after finding conditions outside unfavorable. Off-shore druggers which touched here during the night, put out again early this morning for the Boston market.

Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Boat Leretha, dragging, 30,000 lbs. fresh fish (went to Boston).

Saturday's Gill Net Receipts.

Boat Mary J. Landry, 8000 lbs. fresh fish.

Boat Inca, 21,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Agnes and Myrnie, 4600 lbs. fresh fish.

Boat Liboria C., 14,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Phyllis A., 7000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Enterprise, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Jackie B., 4000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Naomi Bruce III., 1500 lbs. fresh fish.

Boat Elizabeth and James, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Boat Nashawena, 2500 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Alicia, 1500 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Ramona, 7000 lbs. fresh fish.

Yesterday's Gill Net Receipts.

Boat Mary A., 4000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Edna Fae, 6000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sailed.

Sch. Ethel B. Penny, shore.
Sch. Progress, shore.
Sch. Pilgrim, haddocking.
Sch. Evelyn G. Sears, snore.
Boat Alice and Mildred, dragging.
Boat Lincoln, dragging.
Sch. Josephine and Mary, dragging.
Boat Capt. Drum, dragging.

Lobsters High.

Lobsters are scarce and high, the wholesale dealers asking 70 cents per pounds for live. The supply in the pounds is very light. Other kinds of shell fish are in good supply.

LIGHT FARES AGAIN TODAY

ONLY A FEW BOATS LANDED FISH IN PORT THIS MORNING.

It was another almost "fishless" day when the market opened this morning, for there was scarcely enough receipts to supply the local retail store. The bulk of the fleet is out on the grounds today, and this afternoon should see many of them back again. Gill netters landed good fares yesterday, the receipts amounting to 124,000 pounds. The entire lot was shipped to outside markets.

Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:
Boat Capt. Drum, dragging, 600 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Hope Leslie, dragging, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Killarney, via Boston.
Sch. Edith C. Rose, via Boston.
Sch. Vasco da Gama, via Boston.
Boat Leretha, via Boston.
Boat 649C, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Uncle Sam, 500 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat 107D, 300 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Clarence B. Mitchell, 2000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Paul Revere, 1700 lbs. fresh fish.

Boat Dorcas, 800 lbs. fresh fish.
Yesterday's Gill Net Receipts.
Boat Mary J. Landry, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.

Boat Inca, 35,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Agnes and Myrnie, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.

Boat Sunflower, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Liboria C., 18,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Phyllis A., 8000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Enterprise, 8000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Mary A., 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Edna Fae, 8000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Jackie B., 4000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Naomi Bruce III., 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

Boat Elizabeth and James, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Nashawena, 1000 lbs. fresh fish.

fishermen to the exporters, so as to do the latter to do the worrying about markets from now on.—Maritime Merchant.

N. S. Lobster. Notes.

Good catches and fair prices for lobsters were reported during December from the small districts around Halifax, N. S. and Charlotte, N. B. where fishing was permitted at that period for shipment in shell.

For the next two months lobstering in sections of the Bay of Fundy will be allowed, but not until the 1st March will any canning be possible.

The markets for canned lobsters are dormant, which is usual at this season of the year, as most grocers and other handlers of the product in both America and Europe are busy with their stocks-taking. Not until that is revealed will the wholesale trade realize fully to what extent the demand of 1929 was satisfactory, and not until the new orders or the absence of them from the wholesaler to the middle men are evident can the trade here gauge the probable trend of affairs at the opening of the season.

A large number of fishery officials are meeting at the Fisheries Experimental Station in Halifax for a conference this week and a discussion of lobster regulations and their best mode of enforcement forms an important feature at this gathering.—Maritime Merchant.

SMALL FLEET AT BOSTON TODAY

DOZEN VESSELS HAVE ABOUT 500,000 POUNDS—MARKET STRONG—ER AND HIGHER.

The fleet at the Boston fish pier was small this morning. It numbered only a dozen and receipts were not large. Fares aggregated 370,000 pounds of groundfish and 110,000 pounds of mixed fish. The market was stronger with all varieties in demand. Prices moved upward. Haddock brought \$5 to \$5.50, large cod, \$8 to \$9, and markets, \$4 to \$5.

Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:
Str. Tide, 44,000 haddock, 3500 cod, 21,000 mixed fish.
Str. Spray, 61,000 haddock, 6500 cod, 18,000 mixed fish.
Str. Mist, 63,000 haddock, 16,000 cod, 22,000 mixed fish.
Str. William J. O'Brien, 62,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 15,000 mixed fish.
Sch. Donald, 32,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 3000 mixed fish.
Sch. Elvira Gasper, 18,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 3000 mixed fish.
Sch. Lark, 16,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 13,000 hake.

Boat Rosie, 12,000 mixed fish.
Boat Annie, 4500 mixed fish.
Boat Automatic II, 6800 mixed fish.
Boat Salvatore, 2800 mixed fish.
Boat Sarah M., 3500 mixed fish.
Haddock, \$5 to \$5.50 per cwt.; large cod, \$8 to \$9; market cod, \$4 to \$5; hake, \$4.25; pollock, \$2; cusk, \$3.75; lemon sole, 9 cents per lb.; black backs, 5 cents; yellow tails, 4 cents; dabs, 2 1-2 cents; redfish, 1 cent; catfish, 3 cents.

FIRST HALIBUTER READY TO SAIL

The first of the halibuters of 1930 is

Masterpiece
of Mirth

S. Market St., Mt. Carmel, Pa.
letters.—Mrs. GERTRUDE BUTTS, 414 Compound. I am willing to answer I highly recommend the Vegetable housekeeping and dressmaking and when I wash or work hard. I do stronger and don't get so tired out a great deal better. I am much ham's Vegetable Compound and feel Lydia E. Pink- staffing the fourth bottle of help me. I am ing seemed to tion that not- run-down condi- weakened and was in such a

